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EXT 6847  
DATE 28 JULY 67

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OXCART OPS

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25X1A REF: [REDACTED] 6416

SUBJECT: AUTOPILOT DATA BX6709

1. HQS ATTEMPTING TO CORRELATE DATA REGARDING AUTOPILOT PERFORMANCE AND CAMERA CAGINGS WHICH OCCUR DURING FLIGHT.
  2. IN THIS REGARD, REQUEST YOU PROVIDE TIMES OR POINTS ALONG ROUTE DURING WHICH AIRCRAFT WAS "HAND FLOWN" OR OPERATED IN OTHER THAN AUTO/AUTO ON MSN BX6709.
  3. ABOVE INFO WILL ALSO BE REQUIRED FOR SUBSEQUENT MISSIONS.
- THIS TO BE INCLUDED IN "OPERATIONAL SORTIE REPORT" [REDACTED] 25X1A
- SUBMITTED FOR EACH MISSION.

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OXCART/BLACK SHIELD

SUBJECT: COURSE DEVIATIONS ON BX6709

1. INS DATA AND PLOTS FROM SC & DM TAPE FOR MISSION BX6709  
INDICATE THAT GREATER THAN NORMAL COURSE, ALTITUDE, BANK  
ANGLE AND SPEED DEVIATIONS WERE EXPERIENCED DURING TURNS  
FOR WHICH DATA IS AVAILABLE.

2. PROJECT HQS WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR COMMENTS/CONCLUSIONS  
FROM ANALYSIS OF AVAILABLE INS DATA, TERMINAL ERROR, AND  
PILOT DEBRIEFING COMMENTS TO INCLUDE AUTO PILOT NAV MODE  
USED, AUTO PILOT PERFORMANCE AND OTHER PERTINENT FACTORS

BEARING ON THESE DEVIATIONS. REQUEST YOUR REPLY ASAP, BUT NOT  
24 JULY FOR HQ CRITIQUE OF MSN.  
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A. BX6709

B. PRODUCT PICK-UP CONFIRMATION MSG.

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C. C-54 #50582, [REDACTED]

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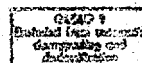
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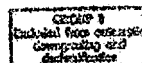
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BLACK SHIELD

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25X1A [REDACTED] FROM GEN BACALIS

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PLEASE EXTEND MY CONGRATULATIONS TO [REDACTED] ON HIS PERFORMANCE IN AN APPARENTLY HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL MISSION BX6709. HE IS NOW A FULL-FLEDGED MEMBER OF A MOST EXCLUSIVE CLUB, THE MACH 3 "CONG-WATCHERS." ALSO, I AM MOST GRATIFIED WHEN READING HOW YOUR DETACHMENT OVERCOMES THE PROBLEMS CONFRONTING YOU ON OPERATIONAL MISSIONS. PLEASE PASS TO ALL CONCERNED A MOST-DESERVED WELL DONE.

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FROM GEN BACALIS

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SUBJECT: BLACK SHIELD MISSION WRAP-UP MESSAGE

APPRECIATE THE TIMELINESS AND CONTENT OF MISSION WRAP-

UP MESSAGES. THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN MOST HELPFUL TO ME

AND I DESIRE THAT IT BE CONTINUED; HOWEVER, REQUEST SUBSEQUENT

WRAP-UP REPORTS BE SENT VIA [REDACTED] MESSAGE. INFORMATION 25X1A

WHICH IN YOUR OPINION IS OF A PERSONAL OR SENSITIVE NATURE MAY

BE EXCLUDED AND SENT BY [REDACTED] MESSAGE.

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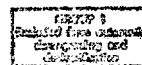
FOR GEN STEAKLEY FROM GEN BACALIS

1. THE FOLLOWING IS AN INFORMAL SUMMARY OF OXCART  
MISSION BX6709 FLOWN 19 JULY 1967.

*b* 2. MISSION TAKE-OFF WAS <sup>AGAINST</sup> ~~ADJUSTED~~ AND "SECOND WINDOW" *Timing*.  
~~FLIGHT USED~~ FLIGHT PROFILE WAS FLOWN AS BRIEFED WITH  
RECOVERY AT KADENA AB. THERE WERE NO AIR REFUELING, COM-  
MUNICATIONS, OR AIRCRAFT PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED DURING THE  
MISSION. PILOT REPORTS WEATHER GOOD IN THE TARGET AREAS  
AND NO HOSTILE ACTION WAS OBSERVED. CAMERA OPERATION APPEARED  
NORMAL AND WE ANTICIPATE EXCELLENT MISSION RESULTS. MISSION  
SUPPORT BY PARTICIPATING COMMANDS WAS AS REQUESTED

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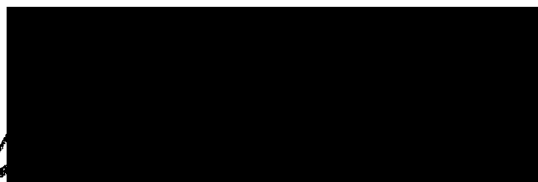
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AND NO PROBLEMS ARE KNOWN AT THIS TIME.

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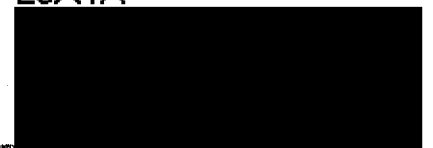
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